NOTICE

There is a Magistrate vacancy in Election District 5-C due to the appointment of former Magistrate Mary Pat Gunderson to the District Court. This appointment will be for the remainder of former Magistrate Gunderson's term of office. The term expires on July 31, 2013 and is subject to re-appointment under the law.

Anyone wishing to be considered for the position must be a resident of Judicial District 5-C (Polk County) during the term of office. A person is not qualified for appointment as a magistrate if at the time of appointment the person has reached the age of seventy-two. The appointment will be made on or before September 7, 2012.

Applicants must be admitted to practice law in Iowa.

Application forms must be obtained from Sherrie Schuck, Office of the District Court Administrator, Room 409 Polk County Courthouse, Des Moines, Iowa.

Applications must be submitted to the Chairperson of the Magistrate Appointing Commission, District 5-C, with a copy submitted to each member of the Commission. There are five additional Commissioners.

THE DEADLINE FOR FILING APPLICATIONS IS MONDAY AUGUST 27, 2012, AT 4:00 P.M. THE QUESTIONNAIRE MUST BE CERTIFIED. YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE AND ANY REFERENCES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE CHAIRPERSON, JUDGE DOUGLAS F. STASKAL, ROOM 314, POLK COUNTY COURTHOUSE, DES MOINES, IOWA, AND BY EVERY OTHER COMMISSIONER, ON OR BEFORE AUGUST 27, 2012 AT 4:00 P.M., REGARDLESS OF THE DATE OF MAILING.

Dated this 9th day of August 2012.

JUDGE DOUGLAS F. STASKAL, Chairperson

Magistrate Appointing Commission

District 5-C

Room 314, Polk County Courthouse

Des Moines, Iowa 50309

NOTE: It is possible that not all applicants will receive a personal interview. The Chairperson will notify those applicants who have been selected for a personal interview.